



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Division of Marine Fisheries

Annisquam River Marine Fisheries Station
30 Emerson Avenue, Gloucester 01930

June, 2005

Dear Striped Bass Permit Holder:

Enclosed please find a blank 2005 Striped Bass catch report, log and inshore statistical reporting map. Please be sure to read this letter and the instructions on the report carefully as the reporting requirements have changed from last year.

As a requirement of your permit, you must complete and sign the first page of the catch report whether you fished for striped bass or not in 2005. If you sell fish during the 2005 season, you must complete the dealer transaction table on page 2 in addition to page 1. Do not just complete page 2 of the report. Keep in mind that you may sell fish only to seafood dealers authorized to purchase striped bass in Massachusetts. A list of those dealers and their permit numbers can be found on the back of this letter or on our website (along with extra catch report forms, log sheets and maps) at: www.mass.gov/marinefisheries

Make sure your name, state permit and ID numbers are entered on the catch report, the dealer transaction table and on the log, if used. Please be sure to fill in all applicable fields (i.e., number of trips and hours fished, area fished, pounds caught, sub-legal catch etc). If an incomplete report is submitted, it will be mailed back for corrections and will result in the delay of your 2006 permit renewal if not corrected.

The log on the fourth page, although not required to be used, is provided as a means of recording your striped bass fishing activity, and can be helpful when completing the catch report on pages 1 and 2 at the end of the season. If you decide to use the log, we ask that you record all striped bass caught per length bin (inches) and category (sold, released or consumed) for each day and area fished. If you fished in more than one area during a single day, please record the bass caught in each area on separate lines. See the example on the log to help guide you in its use. This length information has proven to be extremely helpful when assessing stock size.

Please submit the completed report no later than **OCTOBER 15, 2005** to: MA Division of Marine Fisheries
Statistics Project
30 Emerson Avenue
Gloucester, MA 01930

*****Reports received after October 15, 2005 may result in the non-renewal of your 2006 Striped Bass Endorsement*****

COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: The commercial fishery starts on July 12, 2005 and will remain open until the quota of 1,094,962 pounds is reached. The commercial size limit is 34 inches total length. Striped Bass may only be harvested by hook and line. They must be kept whole, with head, tail and body intact - mutilation (other than evisceration) is prohibited. Commercial fishermen may not possess or land more than 30 striped bass per day on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays and 5 striped bass per day on Sundays during the open season. No commercial landings or possession of more than two fish per angler is allowed on Monday, Friday, and Saturday.

RECREATIONAL REGULATIONS: The recreational size limit is 28 inches total length, and the possession limit is 2 fish per day. The discard of dead, legal size striped bass is prohibited. To prohibit the practice of high-grading, recreational fishermen may not retain legal-sized striped bass and release said fish in favor of another larger legal-sized striped bass captured subsequently. It shall be unlawful to keep striped bass alive in the water by attaching a line or chain to the fish or placing the fish in a live well or holding car.

NOTE: Harvest or possession of striped bass, by commercial or recreational fishermen, while in waters outside the state's territorial limit, (otherwise known as federal waters or the EEZ), is strictly prohibited. See the reporting map for a definition of the state's territorial limit. Areas 1 – 14 on the map define the state's territorial waters.

If you have any questions about the catch report, please contact the MADMF Statistics Project at 978-282-0308 x115 (Story Reed), x104 (Micah Dean), and x112 (Tom Hoopes). Regulation information and updated quota totals may be obtained from the Division's website at: www.mass.gov/marinefisheries or by calling the Gloucester office at the above number, and dialing 7 at the greeting prompt to obtain information from our 24-hour quota species hotline.

Sincerely,
MADMF Statistics Project

2005 Authorized Buyers of Striped Bass as of June, 2005

DEALER	CITY	PHONE	PERMIT
HOMETOWN SEAFOODS	ANDOVER	(978) 283-2501	6530
ROWAND FISHERIES, INC.	BEVERLY	(978) 927-1871	6518
A B SEAFOOD INC.	BOSTON	(617) 442-3204	9105
ATLANTIC COAST SEAFOOD, INC.	BOSTON	(617) 482-0040	5076
B & M FISH CO., LLC	BOSTON	(617) 542-8512	0968
CAPE COD SHELLFISH & SEAFOOD	BOSTON	(617) 423-1555	3257
CONSTITUTION SEAFOODS INC.	BOSTON	(617) 330-1283	8279
F.J. O'HARA & SONS, INC.	BOSTON	(617) 790-0722	7586
FRESH WATER FISH CO., INC.	BOSTON	(617) 423-9053	0280
GLOBE FISH CO.	BOSTON	(617) 423-7195	0951
GREAT EASTERN SEAFOOD	BOSTON	(617) 428-9400	3275
JOHN NAGLE CO.	BOSTON	(617) 542-9418	0940
NORTH COAST SEAFOODS	BOSTON	(617) 345-4400	0437
SASHAMY SEAFOOD SPECIALITIES	BOSTON	(617) 464-3474	9266
SEA JEM IMPORTS, INC.	BOSTON	(617) 427-4174	9344
STAVIS SEAFOODS, INC.	BOSTON	(617) 482-6349	0432
STAVIS SEAFOODS, INC.	BOSTON	(617) 482-6349	8818
SUNNY'S SFD.	BOSTON	(617) 261-7123	7462
TIRRELL SEAFOOD & SHELLFISH	BOSTON	(617) 261-2464	8827
WONG TRADING, INC.	BOSTON	(617) 268-9388	8643
LOBSTER TRAP OF BOURNE	BOURNE	(508) 759-7600	9406
BRANT ROCK FISH MKT	BRANT ROCK	(617) 834-6231	0506
LOBSTER TRAP CO., INC.	BUZZARDS BAY	(508) 759-6400	0210
THOMPSON, GORDON O.	CANTON	(781) 828-7772	3721
GRASSGROUND CORP/CATAUMET FSH	CATAUMET	(508) 564-5956	3083
F/V ROSEY S	CENTERVILLE	(508) 775-8517	9135
CHATHAM FISH & LOBSTER CO., INC.	CHATHAM	(508) 432-7180	8176
CHATHAM'S FINEST SEAFOOD	CHATHAM	(508) 945-4690	6412
NANTUCKET FISH CO., INC.	CHATHAM	(508) 385-9094	9241
NICKERSON'S FISH & LOBSTERS, INC.	CHATHAM	(508) 945-0145	9418
SOUTH CAPE SEAFOOD	CHATHAM	(508) 945-1223	7388
ALL ISLAND SEAFOOD INC	CHILMARK	(508) 645-2282	0912
CHERRY STREET FISH MKT.	DANVERS	(978) 777-3449	4260
SWAN RIVER FISH MARKET	DENNIS PORT	(508) 398-2340	9402
BACK RIVER FISH MARKET	DUXBURY	(781) 934-9494	8107
CAPE MARITIME SERVICES, INC.	EAST FALMOUTH	(508) 495-0723	6624
FALMOUTH FISH MKT, INC.	EAST FALMOUTH	(508) 540-0045	6520
GREEN POND FISH'N GEAR, INC.	EAST FALMOUTH	(508) 548-2573	1456
GREEN POND SEAFOOD, CORP	EAST FALMOUTH	(508) 540-1901	8158
NATIVE CAPE COD SHELLFISH	EASTHAM	(508) 255-5871	8821
EDGARTOWN SEAFOOD, INC.	EDGARTOWN	(508) 627-3791	6430
SQUARE RIGGER RESTAURANT, THE	EDGARTOWN	(508) 627-9968	9148
PERIWINKLES	ESSEX	(978) 768-6320	8392
DOCKSIDE FISHERIES, INC.	FAIRHAVEN	(508) 789-2653	6838
MACLEANS SEAFOOD	FAIRHAVEN	(508) 999-1502	2035
VNCCV INC. DBA LISBON SFD. MKT.	FALL RIVER	(508) 672-3617	3105
CLAM MAN, THE	FALMOUTH	(508) 548-6044	7455
SCOTT, RAYMOND H.	FALMOUTH	(508) 540-1763	9530
CAPE ANN SEAFOODS, INC.	GLOUCESTER	(978) 283-0687	8549
CAPT. CARLO'S FISH MKT	GLOUCESTER	(978) 283-6342	4873
GLOUCESTER FISH EXCHANGE	GLOUCESTER	(978) 281-1544	8646
INTERSHELL INTERNATIONAL	GLOUCESTER	(978) 281-2523	7802
JOHN B. WRIGHT FISH CO., INC.	GLOUCESTER	(978) 283-4205	0569
NEW ENGLAND MARINE RESOURCES	GLOUCESTER	(978) 282-1637	9361
OCEAN CREST SEAFOOD, INC.	GLOUCESTER	(978) 281-0232	0765
PIER 7, INC.	GLOUCESTER	(978) 282-1770	8016
STAR FISHERIES	GLOUCESTER	(978) 283-0690	0684
STEVE CONNOLLY SEAFOOD CO, INC.	GLOUCESTER	(978) 283-4443	4793
WHOLE FOODS MKT GROUP, INC.	GLOUCESTER	(978) 283-5592	8523
HANOVER LOBSTER & SEAFOOD	HANOVER	(781) 826-9622	8326
CHATHAM SEAFOOD ENTERPRISES	HARWICH PORT	(508) 432-5493	8981
BAYSIDE MARKETING SYSTEMS	HULL	(781) 925-1024	9256
LOBSTER EXPRESS	HUMAROCK	(781) 925-6160	9489
CAPE FISH & LOBSTER CO, INC.	HYANNIS	(508) 790-3180	8080
DUXBURY MUSSEL CORP.	KINGSTON	(781) 585-5517	4695
ANTONIO ALVES FRESH FISH & SEAFOOD	LOWELL	(978) 454-6475	9345
JOLIN LOBSTER	MANCHESTER	(978) 526-7954	3173
SIGLER GUIDE SERVICE	MARBLEHEAD	(781) 639-2577	9324
MOBY DIX SEAFOOD	MARION	(508) 748-6897	9279
LARSEN'S FISH MKT	MENEMSHA	(508) 645-2613	1089
SHOPPERS SQUARE, INC.	METHUEN	(978) 808-1757	9390
MIKE CARVER'S FRESH SEAFOOD	MIDDLEBORO	(508) 947-9669	6830
GLIDDEN'S ISLAND SEAFOOD	NANTUCKET	(508) 228-0912	9008
NANTUCKET SEAFOODS	NANTUCKET	(508) 325-6345	8989
SAYLES SEAFOOD	NANTUCKET	(508) 228-4669	1152
SHIPS INN NANTUCKET INC	NANTUCKET	(310) 422-9388	8571

DEALER	CITY	PHONE	PERMIT
SOUZA SEAFOOD CO.	NANTUCKET	(508) 228-9140	5093
A & A SEAFOOD, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 991-6909	6479
ATLANTIC CHOICE, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 991-3610	8763
BERGIE'S SEAFOOD, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 999-4447	4729
BLUE C FISH	NEW BEDFORD	(401) 783-7178	9355
CARLOS SEAFOOD	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 997-8971	6207
CLARK'S COVE FISH CO.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 994-7371	0441
COUGAR SEAFOOD CORP	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 999-5607	6326
DEMELLO'S PRODUCE MKT, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 992-8879	2693
FLEET FISHERIES, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 996-3742	8201
HOMER'S WHARF SEAFOOD CORP.	NEW BEDFORD	(617) 345-4422	9333
HYGRADE OCEAN PRODUCTS	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 993-5700	7297
INTERNATIONAL C FOOD, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 996-4377	2323
L.J. FISHERIES, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 990-1188	8263
LOU JOE'S FRESH SEAFOOD	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 993-0030	9083
M & B SEA PRODUCTS, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 979-1020	8303
MACLEANS SEAFOOD(SEAFOOD SERVICES, INC.)	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 999-1502	9044
NEBULA FOODS, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 999-6274	6597
NEW ENGLAND MARINE RESOURCES, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 996-2641	9473
NORTHERN WIND, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 997-0727	6489
RAW FOODS INC , PLANT 2	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 990-7700	9517
RAW SEAFOODS, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 990-7700	8679
SEAFOOD CONSULTING & ANALYSIS, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 328-7673	8685
TEMPEST FISHERIES LTD	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 997-0720	8140
TICHON SEAFOOD CORP.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 999-5607	0611
TRIO ALGARVIO SEAFOOD, INC.	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 993-5868	4199
WHALING CITY SFD DISPLAY AUCTION	NEW BEDFORD	(508) 990-0799	8081
RHODE ISLAND RED SEAFOOD	NEWBURYPORT	(978) 463-2867	9504
YANKEE FISHERMEN'S CO-OP	NEWBURYPORT	(603) 474-9850	8573
OCEAN FRESH SEAFOOD, INC.	NORTH ATTLEBORO	(508) 695-7087	2145
FRIENDLY FISHERMAN	NORTH EASTHAM	(508) 255-3009	2241
BANJO CHARTERS	OAK BLUFFS	(508) 693-3154	9513
CAPT. ELMERS SEAFOOD	ORLEANS	(508) 255-7221	2188
NAUSET LOBSTER POOL	ORLEANS	(508) 255-1019	0710
VENTURE FISHERIES	ORLEANS	(508) 247-9100	4824
OSTERVILLE FISH	OSTERVILLE	(508) 420-0500	8843
BRAMHALLS COUNTRY STORE	PLYMOUTH	(508) 746-1844	6270
RELIABLE FISH CO., INC.	PLYMOUTH	(508) 746-1970	0495
SECONDO FAMILY ENT., INC.	PLYMOUTH	(508) 746-1970	8967
WOODS SEAFOOD	PLYMOUTH	(508) 746-0261	1982
CAPE TIP SEAFOOD	PROVINCETOWN	(508) 487-0259	8412
CLEM & URSIE'S	PROVINCETOWN	(508) 487-2333	8409
TOWNSEND LOBSTER & SFD. MKT.	PROVINCETOWN	(508) 487-5161	9250
STAR FISH MARKET	ROXBURY	(617) 524-8711	8532
C & C SEAFOOD	SALEM	(978) 740-2900	7425
JOE'S LOBSTER MART, INC.	SANDWICH	(508) 888-2971	1718
MULLANEY'S HARBORSIDE	SCITUATE	(781) 545-5000	3155
NAUTICAL MILE MARKET	SCITUATE	(781) 545-4747	9466
GREAT EASTERN SEAFOOD	SOUTH BOSTON	(617) 541-8300	9020
OCEAN STAR SEAFOOD	SOUTH BOSTON	(617) 269-4986	9101
CAPE COD CLAM CO.	SOUTH CHATHAM	(508) 432-0032	8719
CHATHAM FISH & LOBSTER CO., INC.	SOUTH CHATHAM	(508) 432-7180	3089
N.E. CLAM PRODUCTS, INC.	SOUTH CHATHAM	(508) 430-2434	6370
CAPE QUALITY SEAFOOD MKT., LLC	SOUTH DARTMOUTH	(508) 996-6724	8702
CAPE QUALITY BLUEFIN, INC.	SOUTH DENNIS	(508) 398-4551	7435
NANTUCKET FISH CO., INC.	SOUTH DENNIS	(508) 385-9094	7646
WELLFLEET HBR SEAFOOD CO (MACS SEAFOOD)	TRURO	(508) 349-9409	9539
AQUA WORLD SEAFOOD INC	VINEYARD HAVEN	(508) 693-0523	7819
JOHN'S FISH MKT	VINEYARD HAVEN	(508) 693-1220	4956
NET RESULT, THE	VINEYARD HAVEN	(508) 693-6071	4933
MAIN STREET SFD. OF WAREHAM	WAREHAM	(508) 291-2220	8270
BOATHOUSE FISH MARKET	WELLFLEET	(508) 349-6417	4545
BOOKSTORE & RESTAURANT	WELLFLEET	(508) 349-3154	6199
HATCH'S FISH MARKET, INC.	WELLFLEET	(508) 349-2810	1643
MAC'S SEAFOOD	WELLFLEET	(508) 349-0404	8567
WELLFLEET OYSTER & CLAM CO LTD.	WELLFLEET	(508) 349-2717	4301
WOODBURY'S INC.	WELLFLEET	(508) 349-9852	6510
NEW ENGLAND SHELLFIN INC	WEST FALMOUTH	(508) 299-8288	9535
F & B MUSSELS	WEST WAREHAM	(508) 291-4211	7119
CAHOON AND SONS FISHERIES	WEST YARMOUTH	(508) 775-0054	6883
TOLLEY, JON	WEST YARMOUTH	(508) 775-9163	7679
WESTPORT MARINE SPECIALTIES	WESTPORT	(508) 636-8100	8980
LEE'S WHARF LOBSTER, INC.	WESTPORT POINT	(508) 636-6161	2334
CAPTAIN MARDEN'S SEAFOODS INC	WESTWOOD	(781) 329-7007	4333
LANDFALL INC.	WOODS HOLE	(508) 548-1758	8418
CHANNEL FEVER FISHERY	YARMOUTH PORT	(508) 362-2315	8348